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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, GE, US

SUBJECT: JEWISH CLAIMS AGAINST GDR

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1. AFTER FERENCZ HAD MET WITH MINISTER, MISSION OFFICER
JULY 2, CALLED SIEMENS, NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION GDR
FOREIGN MINISTRY, TO MAKE APPROPRIATE APPOINTMENTS IN EAST
BERLIN. MISSION OFFICER EXPLAINED PURPOSE OF FERENCZ VISIT,
STRESSING IMPORTANCE USG ATTACHES TO SUCCESS OF
FERENCZ'S MISSION. SIEMENS RESPONDED THAT GDR POSITION
ON CLAIMS ISSUE KNOWN AND "THERE NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS."
HE TOOK NOTE OF FACT, WITHOUT COMMENT, THAT FERENCZ WOULD
BE AVAILABLE VISIT EAST BERLIN JULY 3 OR 4.

2. MISSION OFFICER HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH SIEMENS' OFFICE
THREE TIMES DURING DAY (JULY 3) TO PUSH MATTER BUT OFFICE
SECRETARY MAINTAINS SIEMENS AND OTHER COLLEAGUES
(GEYER, LAETZSCH) NOT AVAILABLE. MISSION
OFFICER ASKED THAT SIEMENS BE REMINDED THAT RESPONSE TO
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REQUEST OF JULY 2 OUTSTANDING AND THAT MISSION OFFICER

WOULD CALL AT 9:00 A.M., JULY 4 WHEN SIEMENS EXPECTED TO
BE IN OFFICE.

3. FERENCZ, INFORMED OF THESE DEVELOPMENTS, HAS INDICATED
HE PREPARED TO STAY IN BERLIN THROUGH END OF WEEK.
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